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一ミグエル・エスティマダーハ正當ニ宣誓ノ後  
比律賓ハダヴァアオ一、コダヴァアオ一市戰爭犯罪事  
務所ニ於テ一九四五年ノ昭和二十年ノ十一月十  
日ニ次ノ通り證言シタ。

一問 アナタノ氏名、年齢、住所ト國籍ヲ言ツテ

下サイ

答 ミグエル・エスティマダーニ十年、  
ヴァアオ一、コダヴァアオ一市、バハダ  
シテ比律賓人

二問 アナタノ職業ハ何テスカ

答 私ハ今兄ノ農場デ兄ノ手伝フシテ居マス

三問 日本軍ノ占領中ニアナタトアナタノ家ニ起  
ツタコトヲ全部詳細ニ説明シナサイ。

答 一九四四年ノ昭和十九年ノ九月ニ米櫻ガハダ  
ヴァアオ一市ノ爆擊ヲ開始ノ際ハ日本軍ハ大  
變友好的ニ思ハレタ。私ハ度々私ノ家ノ近  
クニアル彼等ノ宿營ヘ行キバナナヤ他ノ累  
物ヲ日本ノ巻煙草ト交換シタ。

一九四五年ノ昭和二十年ノ五月二日頃日本  
兵ノ一群ヲ率イタ十名ノ日本軍將校ガハダ  
ヴァアオ一市ハカカ一ノ私ノ家ヘ來タ。

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私ハ其ノ内ノ六名シカ恩ヒ出セマセバ  
彼等ハ島村大尉、「マサオ」、「オイデ」、  
「ヒロシ」、「モスカワート」モリーテス。  
此等ノ日本兵ハ近所ノ全部ノ家カラ人ヲ集  
メ米軍ノ爆撃ノ爲メニ保護ノ爲メラボイ  
ヘ連レテ行クト言ツタ。全員ガ集マルト日  
本兵ハ我々彼等ノ宿營ヘ連レテ行キソコ  
カラ私ノ家ノ西方約半糸ノ所ニアル防空壕  
ヘ行カセタ。

私ハココテ男二十二名女十二名合計三十四  
人ヲ見タ。日本兵ガ我々防空壕ヘ入ラセ  
タノハ午后五時三十分頃テアツタ。私ハソ  
十名ノ日本兵ガ防空壕ヲ護衛シタ。私ハソ  
ノ内四人ヲ認知シタ。彼等ハ「モスカワ」、  
「ヒロシ」、「オイデ」、「モリ」テアツ  
タ。私ハ「モスカワ」ガ防空壕ヘ入ツテ來  
テ「エンカルナシオン・ラインス」、十七  
歳位、ヲ外ヘ引きヅリ出シ、日本兵達ガ彼  
女ヲ防空壕ノ前テ捉ヘテ后タノヲ記憶シテ  
キル。

「モスカワ」ガ吾ビ歸ヘツテ來テ「ビラ」  
ト云フ娘ヲ引ツベリ出シタ。私ハ彼女ノ苗  
字ヲ覚ヘテ居ナイ。彼女ハ二十一歳位テア

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ツタ。彼女ハ防空壕ノ梯子ヲ登ツテ進レテ  
行カレ數名ノ日本兵ト一輪ニ防空壕カラド  
コカヘ行クコトヲ強制サレタ。私ハ彼等ガ  
ドコヘ彼女ヲ連レテ行ツタカ知ラナイ。

「モスカワ一ヘソレカラ防空壕ノ前ノ台ヘ  
躊ヘツナ來タソシテ「エンカルナシオン・  
ライズ」ヲ彼女ヲ捉ヘテ后ル兵達カラヒ  
ツタクリ着物カラ着テ后ルモノヲ全部脱ガ  
セ遂ニ丸裸ニシテシマツタ。

「エンカルナシオン」ハ叫ンテ泣イテ后タ、  
ソシテ争ヘウトシタガ他ノ三人ノ兵ガ彼女  
ヲ捉ヘ地面ヘオサヘ付ケタ。彼等ハ彼女ヲ  
仰向ニシテ二八ノ兵ガ彼女ノ足ヲ持チモウ  
一人ガ彼女ノ両腕ヲ持ツタ。ソノ兵ノ名ハ  
兵「モリー」、兵「ヒロシ」、兵「オイデ」  
デアツタ。

私ハソレカラ「モスカワ」ガツボンヲ脱ギ  
「エンカルナシオン・ライズ」ノ上ヘ乘  
ルノヲ見タ。彼ハソコニ約五分居タ。私ハ  
彼ノ体ガ上下ニ動キ「ボンボン」（性交）  
ヲシテ后ルノヲ見タ。彼ハ肩ムトツボンヲ  
穿イテ歩ミ去ツタ。

次ニ兵「ヒロシ」ガツボンヲ脱イテ他ノ二

人ノ兵ガ「エンカルナシオン」ノ足ヲ持チ  
モウ一人ノ兵ガ腕ヲ持ツテ后ル間ニ同ジコ  
トヲシタ。ソノ後日本兵一モリ「ト「オイ  
デ」ガ同ジコトヲシタ。防空壕ノ人達ハ此  
等ノ兵ガ「エンカルナシオン・ライズ」  
ヲ凌辱スルノヲ見タノデ泣イテ居タ。  
「モスカワ」ハ後兵ガ「エンカルナシオン・  
ライズ」ヲ凌辱シテ仕舞ツテカラ少シシ  
テカラ歸ヘツテ來テ、彼女ヲ丸裸ノママ防  
空壕ノ中へ連レテ來タ。

私ノ兄弟ノ「ドナト」ハ首ニタオルヲ巻イ  
テ居タノヲ「エンカルナシオン」ニ体ヲ包  
ム爲メニ與ヘタ。數分後ニ「ピラー」ガ壕  
ヘ連レ良サレタ。私ハ彼女ノ着物モ挽ギ取  
ラレテ居ルノヲ見タ。彼女ハ泣イテ居タソ  
シテ母親ニ彼女ヲ連行シタ三人ノ日本兵ガ  
彼女ヲ辱シメ凌辱シタト言ツタ。「モスカ  
ワ」ハソレカラ凌辱サレタ二人ノ娘ニ水ト  
ビスケットヲ與ヘタ。

人々ハ皆、私自身モ大變口ガ乾イテ居タガ  
日本兵ハ我々ニ水モ食モモ與ヘナカツタ。  
防空壕ノ中ハ非常ニ暑カツタ。「モスカワ」  
ハソレカラ防空壕内ノ者ニ娘等ガ中へ連レ

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テ來ラレテカラ全部手榴弾テ殺サルダラ  
ウ久證モ防空壕カラ出ルコトハ出來ナカラ  
ウト言ツタ。日本兵ハ入口ヲ着剣シタ小銃  
ヲ持ツテ取國ミ防空壕ヲ出ヤウトスルモノ  
ハ殺スダラウ。

夜十時頃、兩海軍大佐「シマムラート」マ  
サオーへ原文ノ儘、譯者註マサヲハ准士官  
ト第三頁ノ終リニアリ。ガ防空壕ノ入口ニ  
通ヅル台ニ立ツテ居ルノヲ見ルコトガ出來  
タ。暗カツタケレド防空壕ノ中ニアツタ電  
燈ノ反射テ私ハ彼等ヲ見ルコトガ出來タ。  
「シマムラート」マサオーハ日本語テ數分  
間話シテ居タ。ソレカラモスカワレガ防  
空壕ノ入口ヘ階段ヲ下リテ、一方「シマム  
ラート」マサオーハ立チ去ツタ。  
モスカワレハ彼ノ機ノボケットカラ手榴  
弾ヲ取り出シ之ヲ鎧甲ヘ打チ付ケ防空壕ヘ  
投込ンダ。鎧ケ様ニ彼ハ六、七個ノ手榴弾  
ヲ壕内ヘ投込ンダ。突然手榴弾ハ我々ノ中  
テ爆發シ、人々ハ金切聲ヲ出シタリ叫ンダ  
リ泣イタリシ出シタ。破片ガ私ノ両手ニ當  
ツタ。動クコトノ出來ル少數ノ者モ日本兵  
ガ着剣シテ未ダソコニ居タカラ壕カラ出ル

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コトガ出来ナツタ。防空壕内ノ人々が叫  
ンダリ、金切聲ヲシタリ、泣イタリ呻ツタ  
リスルノ止メルト日本兵ハ木板ト鐵ノ屋  
根ノ板料テ防空壕ノ入口ヲ塞イダ。内部ハ  
非常ニ暗クナツタガ私ハ數人ノ聲ヲ少シマ  
ダ聞クコトガ出来タ。

翌朝明ルクナルトマサオートーシムラー  
ハ防空壕ヘ歸ツテ來テ入口カラ木板ト鐵ノ  
屋根板料ヲ取去リ中ヲ覗イタ。マサオー  
ハ「カタリナ・フテー」ガ未だ生キテ居ル  
ノヲ見ルト彼ハ軍刀テ彼女ノ首ヲ切落シタ。  
マサムラーハ私ガマダ生キテ居ルノヲ見  
タ、ソレ故彼ハピストルヲ取り私ヲ射テ  
ハ私ノ左ノ脚ニ中ツタ。ソレカラ彼ハ軍刀  
デ私ノ上ノ石脚ヲ二回打ツタ。

私ハソノ犠牲者ノ名ハ少シシカ思ヒ出スコ  
トガ出来マセン、彼等ハ皆「バカカーカラ  
來タ比韓賓人テアツタ。私ノ記憶シテ居ル  
名ハ

氏名	年齢	性別	關係
「ドナト・エスティヤダ」	二四	男	私ノ兄弟
「マルセリノ・エスティマダ」	二八	男	私ノ兄弟
「カタリナ・フテー」	三五	女	關係ナシ

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「スガニア・アル・ロザリオ」	二九 男 関係ナシ
「ピラ・レゴナ」	二一 女 関係ナシ
「エンカルブシオン・ラインズ」	二七 女 兄弟ドナ ノトノ姉妹理
「ジエスサ・ラインズ」	一八 女 兄弟ドナ トノ妻ナ
「ドミニゴ・エスティマダ」	二 男 兄弟ドナ トノ息子
「ゴリア・ラインズ」	二三 女 兄弟ドナ ノトノ姉妹理
「バンナル・レゴナ」	二四 男 ピラ兄弟

生存者ハ私ダケテス。私ハ防空壕ノ中ニ食  
物モナク三日三夜死者ノ間ニ留ツタ。三  
夜ノ一時頃私ハ手ト膝テ這ツテ防空壕カラ  
出タソシテ近クノ川ヲ渡ツタ。川ヲ渡ルト  
私ハ「ザモラー」監督ト一群ノ人々ニ會ツタ。  
彼ハ私ノ傷ノ手當ヲシタ。私ハ十七日間山  
ノ中ニ懸レテ「ザモラー」監督ト一晩ニ留ツ  
タ。

四問 一モスカワ一ガ防空壕ノ中ヘ手榴弾ヲ投込  
ンダ時ニオ前ヘ附近ニ爆弾ヲ見タカ  
答 ハイ、私ハ「マサオ」海軍大佐ヲ約七米離  
レテ入口ノ近クニ見マシタ。

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五、問 兵達ガ「エンカルナシオン・ラインズ」ヲ  
後辱シタ時ニ「マサオ」海軍大佐ハソコニ  
居タカ。

答 ハイ、彼ハ防空壕ノ入口ニ立ツテ居マシタ  
ガ兵達ガ「エンカルナシオン・ラインズ」ヲ  
犯スノヲ止メル爲メニ何モシマセンテシ  
タ。

六、問 「マサオ」海軍大佐ハ兵「モスカワー」ガ防  
空壕ヘ手榴弾ヲ投込ンダ時ニソコニ居タカ。

答 ハイ、彼ハ入口ノ直グ仙ニ居リマシタ、彼  
ハ兵隊ノソレヲ投込ムノヲ止メマセンテシ  
タ。

七、問 オ前ハ「マサオ」大佐ガ「モスカワー」ニ手  
榴弾ヲ投ゲル命令ヲ與ヘルノヲ聞イタカ。

答 私ハ彼ガ彼ニソノ命令ヲ與ヘタカドウカ知  
リマセン。三人ノ日本兵ガ一端ニ齧シテ后  
ル時ニ「マサオ」大佐ハ兵「モスカワー」ノ  
所ヘ行キ日本語テ話シマシタ、ソレハ彼ニ  
防空壕ノ者ヲ殺セト云フ様ニ思ヘレマシタ  
ト云フ語ハ彼ガ言ヒ終ルト直グニ、「モス  
カワー」ハ手榴弾ヲ取り出シテ防空壕ヘソレ  
等ヲ投込ミ始メマシタカラ。

八、問 オ前ハソノ時以來コレ等ノ日本兵ノ誰カヲ

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見タコトガアルカ。

答 私ハ私ガ二人ノ戰爭犯罪調查員「クレーズ」  
大尉ト「ツワゲル」中尉ト一等ニ「ダヴァ  
オ」市「ダリアオ」ノ俘虜收容所ニ居タ時ニ  
コレ等ノ日本兵ヲ認メマシタ。私ハ收容所ノ  
約八百名ノ日本將校ノ中カラ准尉、海軍ノ「  
モリサダ・マサフ」（譯者註、海軍ニハ准尉  
ナシ）、「ユタカ・マシロ」海軍少尉、海軍  
大佐「カツジ・シマムラ」、ヲ辨別スル事ガ  
出來マシタ。ソノ時私ハ初テ彼等ノ氏名兩方  
ヲ知リマシタ。

九問 オ前ハコノ陳述ニ何カ外ニ言ヒ足シ度イト思  
フコトガアルカ。

答 アリマセン。

（署名）「ミグエル・エスティマダ」

比律賓共和國  
「ダヴァオ」市

署名捺印

私、「ミグエル・エスティマダ」ハ正當ニ宣誓  
シテ、三頁ノ私ノ訊問トソノ内ニアル總ベテノ答  
端ノ前記寫ノ翻譯ヲ讀ミ聞カサレ、私ノ知リ且ツ  
信ズル限りニ於テ眞實テアルト申述ベマス。

（署名）「ミグエル・エスティマダ」

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一九四五年／昭和二十年／十一月二十九日

余ノ面前ニテ署名宣誓ス

戦争犯罪調査隊調査將校、主計大尉

(署名) 「サミュエル・ロウ」

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比律賓共和国

「ダバアオ」市～署名捺印

私、「リカルド・テ・カストロ」、比律賓、  
「マニラ」、「サンタ・メサ」「ヴァレンスエラ」  
街七二居住、ハ正當ニ宣誓シ、私ハ與ヘラレタ間  
答ラ英語カラ「タガログ」語ニ又「タガログ」語  
カラ英語ニ夫々眞實ニ証譯シ、寫シテカラ、私ハ  
三頁ノ前記口述書ヲ證人ニ眞實ニ証譯シ、證人ハ  
私ノ面前テ直ニ之ニ署名セルコトヲ陳述ス

(署名) 「リカルド・テ・カストロ」

一九四五年十一月二十九日、余ノ面前ニテ署名宣誓ス

戦争犯罪調査隊調査將校、主計大尉

(署名) 「サミュエル・ロウ」

### 證明書

我等、戦争犯罪調査隊調査將校、主計大尉、〇一三  
八二五四三、「サミュエル・ロウ」ト野戰砲兵、少  
尉、〇一一八五九七六、「ベルノン・ヴィ・ハリ

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ス、二世ハ一九四五年十一月十七日ニ我々ノ前ヘ親  
シク「ミグエル・エステイマダ」ガ出頭シ、「リカ  
ルド・テ・カストロニニ依リ、ソノ中ニ述べラレ  
タ論問ニ對スル前記答辯ヲ與ヘ、彼ノ證言方寫サレ  
タ後、前記「ミグエル・エステイマダ」ハ前記通譯  
ニ右ヲ讀ミ聞カサレ、我々ノ面前ニテ之ニ署名セル  
コトヲ證明ス

「ダヴァオ、ダヴァオ」市

戰爭犯罪調查隊監督官將校、主計大尉  
(署名) 「サミュエル・ロウ」

一九四五年十一月二十九日 戰爭犯罪調查隊監督官將校  
少尉

(署名) 「エバノンヴィ・ペリス二世」

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證 明 書

余、聯合國最高指揮官總司令部法律部長「アルヴァ  
ア・シル・カーベンター」ハ添附ノ「ミグエル・  
エスティマダーノ」口供筆ノ真偽爲ハ口供筆原本  
ノ真實且又正確ナル極爲ニシテ署名宣誓サレタル  
右口供筆爲シハ現在當部書類中ニアルコトヲ茲  
ニ證明ス。

法律部長 「アルヴァ・シル・カーベンター」(署名)

證人 「ジョン・アル・ブリチハド」(署名)

日本東京ニ於テ一九四六年ノ昭和二十二年  
十一月二十九日余ノ面前ニ於ア宣誓セルモノ  
ナリ。

即決裁判所

歩兵大尉 「ジョン・アル・ブリチハド」(署名)

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MIGUEL ESTIMADA, after having been duly sworn, testified at the War Crimes Office, Davao City, Davao, P. I., on 17 November 1945, as follows:

1. Q. Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.  
A Miguel ESTIMADA, 20 years old, Bahada, Davao City, Davao, and Filipino.
2. Q What is your occupation?  
A I am helping at present my brother on his farm.
3. Q Explain everything in detail what happened to you and your family during the time of the Japanese occupation.  
A When the American planes began to bomb Davao City in September 1944, the Japanese appeared to be very friendly. I often used to go to their camp which was near my house and exchange bananas and other fruits for Japanese cigarettes.

About May 2, 1945, ten Japanese officers with a group of Japanese soldiers came to our house in Bacaca, Davao City. I can only remember six of them. They are Captain SHIMAMURA, MASAO, OIDE, HIROSHI, MOSUKAWA and MORI.

These Japanese gathered the people from all the neighboring houses and said that due to the American bombings they will take them to Lapoy for protection. After all the people were gathered together the Japanese marched us to their camp and from there to an air raid shelter which was located about one-half kilometer west of my house.

I saw here thirty-four people in all which was made up of twenty-two men and twelve women. It was about 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon when the Japanese made us go into the air raid shelter. Ten Japanese soldiers guarded the shelter. I recognized four of them. They were MOSUKAWA, HIROSHI, OIDE and MORI.

I remember that MOSUKAWA came into the air raid shelter and dragged out Encarnacion LINES, about 17 years of age, and the Japanese soldiers held her outside on the front of the air raid shelter.

MOSUKAWA came back again and pulled out a girl named Pilar, I do not remember her last name. She was about 21 years of age. She was taken up the ladder of the air raid shelter and forced her to go somewhere from the air raid shelter with some Japanese soldiers. I do not know where they took her.

MOSUKAWA then came back to the platform in front of the air raid shelter and grabbed Encarnacion LINES from the soldiers who were holding her and tore off her dress and all the clothes that she wore until she was completely naked. Encarnacion was shouting and crying and tried to fight but the other three soldiers grabbed her and held her down on the ground. They placed her down on her back and two soldiers held her feet and another soldier held her arms. The names of those soldiers were Private MORI, Private HIROSHI and Private OIDE.

I then saw MOSUKAWA removed his pants and laid on top of Encarnacion LINES. He remained there about five minutes. I saw his body moving up and down and doing "pompom" (sexual intercourse) When he was finished he put on his pants and walked away.

Next, Private HIROSHI took off his pants and did the same thing while the other two soldiers held the feet of Encarnacion and

the other soldier, her arms. After that the Japanese soldiers, MORI and OIDE, did the same thing. People in the air raid shelter were crying because of how they saw these soldiers rape Encarnacion LINES.

MOSUKAWA later returned, a short time after the soldiers had raped Encarnacion LINES, and carried her completely naked into the air raid shelter. My brother, Donato had a towel around his neck which he gave to Encarnacion to cover her body. A few minutes later, Pilar was brought back into the shelter. I saw that her dress was also torn off. She was crying and told her mother that the three Japanese who took her away had abused her and raped her. MOSUKAWA then gave some water and biscuits to the two girls who were raped.

All the people and myself were very thirsty but the Japanese did not give us any water or food. It was very hot in the air raid shelter. MOSUKAWA then told the people in the air raid shelter, after the girls were brought in, that all will be killed by hand grenades and that nobody will be able to leave the air raid shelter. The Japanese soldiers surrounded the entrance with their rifles with fixed bayonets and will kill anybody who tried to leave the air raid shelter.

Around 10:00 o'clock in the night, I was able to see Capts. SHIMAMURA and MASA0 standing on the platform leading to the entrance of the air raid shelter. Although it was dark I was able to see them because of the reflection from the electric light which we had inside the air raid shelter. SHIMAMURA and MASA0 were talking in Japanese for a few minutes. Then MOSUKAWA came down the stairs to the entrance of the air raid shelter while SHIMAMURA and MASA0 walked away.

MOSUKAWA took out a hand grenade from his side pocket, tapped it against his helmet and threw it into the air raid shelter. In quick succession he threw about six or seven hand grenades into the shelter. Suddenly, the hand grenades exploded among us and the people began to scream, shout, and cry. Shrapnels hit my two hands. Those few who were able to move could not go outside the shelter because the Japanese soldiers were still there with fixed bayonets. When the people inside the air raid shelter stopped shouting, screaming, crying and moaning, the Japanese soldiers placed pieces of wood and iron roofing to block the entrance of the air raid shelter. It became very dark inside but I could still hear a few voices of some people.

The next morning, when it was daylight MASA0 and SHIMAMURA returned to the air raid shelter and removed the wood and iron roofing from the entrance and looked inside. When MASA0 saw Catalina BUTAY still alive he chopped off her head with his saber. SHIMAMURA saw me still alive, so he took his pistol and shot me and the bullet hit my left leg. Then he struck me twice on my upper right leg with his saber.

I can only remember a few names of the victims, all of them were Filipinos from Bacaca. The names who I remember are:

NAME	AGE	SEX	RELATION
Donato ESTIMADA	24	M	My brother
Marcelino ESTIMADA	28	M	My brother
Catalina BUTAY	35	F	No relation
Numeriano DEL ROSARIO	29	M	No relation

NAME	AGE	SEX	RELATION
Pilar REGONA	21	F	No relation, neighbor
Encarnacion LINES	17	F	Sister-in-law of my brother, Donato
Jesusa LINES	18	F	My sister-in-law, wife of my brother, Donato
Domingo ESTIMADA	2	M	Son of my brother, Donato
Goria LINES	23	F	Sister-in-law of my brother, Donato
Pascual REGONA	24	M	Brother of Pilar

I am the only person who is alive. I stayed in the air raid shelter among the dead people for three days and three nights without any food. About one o'clock of the third night I crept out of the air raid shelter on my hands and knees and crossed the river which was nearby. After crossing the river I met Dr. ZAMORA and a group of people. He treated my wounds. I remained with Dr. ZAMORA hiding in the hills for seventeen days.

4. Q When MOSUKAWA threw the hand grenade into the air raid shelter did you see any officers nearby?  
 A Yes, sir. I saw Captain MASAO near the entrance about seven meters away.

5. Q Was Captain MASAO there when the soldiers raped Encarnacion LINES?  
 A Yes, sir. He was standing at the entrance of the air raid shelter and did nothing to stop the soldiers from attacking Encarnacion LINES.

6. Q Was Captain MASAO there when Private MOSUKAWA threw the hand grenade into the air raid shelter?  
 A Yes, sir, he was right near the entrance and he did not stop the soldiers from throwing it.

7. Q Did you/Captain MASAO gave an order to MOSUKAWA to throw the hand grenade?  
 A I do not know whether he gave him the order. While the three soldiers were talking together, Captain MASAO went over to Private MOSUKAWA and talked Japanese which seemed to say that he should kill the people in the air raid shelter because immediately after he stopped talking, MOSUKAWA took out the hand grenades and began to throw them into the air raid shelter.

8. Q Have you ever seen any of these Japanese since that time?  
 A I recognized these Japanese when I was at the prisoners of war stockade at Daliao, Davao City with two War Crimes Investigators, Captain KLASE and Lt. ZWERGEL. I was able to pick out from around 800 Japanese officers in the stockade, Warrant Officer, Morisada MASAO of the Navy; Yutaka NASHIRO, Ensign of the Navy; and Capt. Katsuji SHIMAMURA, Navy. That was the first time I learned all their full names.

9. Q Do you have anything else that you would like to add to this statement?  
 A No, sir.

/s/ Miguel Estimada  
MIGUEL ESTIMADA

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CITY OF DAVAO ) SS

I, MIGUEL ESTIMADA, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein consisting of three pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Miguel Estimada  
MIGUEL ESTIMADA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Nov. 1945

/s/ Samuel Rowe  
SAMUEL ROWE, Captain, QMC  
Investigating Officer, War  
Crimes Investigating Detach-  
ment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
CITY OF DAVAO ) SS

I, RICARDO DE CASTRO, residing at 72 Valenzuela Street, Sant Mesa, Manila, P. I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing three pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Ricardo de Castro  
RICARDO DE CASTRO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Nov. 1945

/s/ Samuel Rowe  
SAMUEL ROWE, Captain, QMC  
Investigating Officer, War  
Crimes Investigating Detach-  
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#### C E R T I F I C A T E

We, SAMUEL ROWE, Captain, O-382543, QMC, and VERNON V. HARRIS JR., 2nd Lt., O-1185976, FA, Investigating Officers, War Crimes Investigating Detachment, certify that on 17th day of November, 1945, personally appeared before us MIGUEL ESTIMADA, and according to RICARDO DE CASTRO, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein, that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said MIGUEL ESTIMADA had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Davao City, Davao

/s/ Samuel Rowe  
SAMUEL ROWE, Captain, QMC  
Investigating Officer, War  
Crimes Investigating Detach-  
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/s/ Vernon V. Harris, Jr.  
VERNON V. HARRIS, JR., 2nd Lt.  
Investigating Officer, War  
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I, Alva C. Carpenter, Chief, Legal Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, do hereby certify that the attached photostatic copy of the affidavit of MIGUEL ESTIMADA is a true and correct reproduction of the original affidavit; and that a signed and sworn copy of said affidavit is presently on file with this Section.

/s/ Alva C. Carpenter  
Alva C. Carpenter,  
Chief, Legal Section.

Witness: /s/ John R. Pritchard  
Sworn to before me this 29th day  
of October 1946, Tokyo, Japan.

/s/ John R. Pritchard  
Captain, Infantry  
Summary Court